## December 2025

un	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu		Sat
-	SWADDLING CLOTHES, ST JOHNS- MARENGO	ST JOHNS- MARENGO	REV THOMAS VAN HEMERT	4 ST JOHN- HOMESTEAD	TRINITY - CONROY	GOOD SHEPHERD- WELLMAN
7 REV GARY SEARS	8 TRINITY LUTHERAN- OTTUMWA	9 REV JAMES PREUS	Advent Meals Shared By All Churches	11 Lydia Armbrecht Holt -Seward Student	LUTHERAN INTERPARISH SCHOOL- WILLIAMSBURG	ST PAUL- WILLIAMSBURG
REV JASON ZOSKE	HOPE - SIGOURNEY	16 IMMANUEL - WILLIAMSBURG	REV RICHARD MEYER	CALVARY LUTHERAN - DEEP RIVER	ST JAMES - VICTOR	REV MICHAEL KOLESAR
21 Candy/Cookie Walk	22 Christmas Caroling to Shut -Ins and Nursing Homes	23 Apple Pie Auction & Bazaar	24 Nativity Scene, Christmas Hymn Singing, Fellowship	BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST OUR SAVIOR	26 Community Tree of Sharing	27 Community Food Banks
28 WEDNESDAY PRESCHOOL - ST JOHNS-VICTOR	29 Dr Cari Chittick-St Johns-Victor, Concordia-Irvine Professor	30 ST JOHNS -VICTOR	31 REV STUART RETHWISCH	ψ, LV	<b>V</b> ML	WILLIAMSBURG ZONE

## Luke 2: 1-20

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Gaesar Augustus that all the world should be taxed. (And this taxing was first made when Gyrenius was governor of Syria.) And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:) To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, so, the anges of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the anges said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, sying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child. And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds. But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.